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The Airplane

See the airplane come.

See the airplane come down.

Susan said, "Father! Father!
Here comes Father."

Betty said, "See the airplane.
See the airplane go up and up.
The airplane can come down.
The airplane can go up."

Tom said, "Here we go, Father.
We can not go up.
We can not go down.
We can go fast.
Go fast, Father."

Mother said, " Here we are.
Here are Flip and Pony.
Here we are, Father."

We Play Airplane

Betty said, "Come here, Susan.
Come and play airplane.
We can play we are airplanes."

Susan said, "I can play.
I can go up and down.
I can go fast."

Tom said, " Mother ! Mother !
See Susan and Betty play.
Betty is a blue airplane.
Susan is a red airplane.
See the red and blue airplanes."

Mother said, " Go fast, Susan.
Go fast, Betty."

Tom said, " See Flip, Mother.
Flip can not play airplane.
Flip can not go up and down.
Look, Mother, look.
See Flip and the red airplane.
See the red airplane go down."

The Big Pie

Susan said, " Come here, Tom.
Come fast, Betty.
I have a big pie.
Come and see the big pie."

"Here we are," said Betty.
"I see the big pie.
See the big pie, Tom."

"What a big pie," said Tom.
"What a big, big pie!"

" Look, Betty," said Tom.
" Look, Susan, look.
See the big red apple.
See the pie."

Susan said, " Tom ! Betty !
See the big apple pie.
What a funny apple pie ! "

The Surprise

" Come, Susan," said Betty.
" Come and see Patsy.
Come and play here."

Here I come," said Susan.
" I want to play.
Bunny wants to play."

"Look, Betty," said Tom.
"I have a surprise for you.
I have a surprise for Susan."

Susan said, "What have you?
Have you something for Bunny?
Have you something for Patsy?
Have you something for Flip?"

"I see the surprise," said Susan.
"I see what you have, Tom.
I see little cakes."

"What little cakes!" said Betty.
"What little, little cakes!
We want the little cakes.
We can have a play dinner."

" Come to dinner," said Betty.
" Come to dinner, Tom.
Here, Bunny and Patsy.
Here is something for you."

Susan said, " See the cakes.
We have a little cake for Patsy.
We have a cake for Bunny."

" See Flip, Susan," said Betty.
" Flip wants to have dinner.
Flip wants a little cake."

Susan said, " Flip wants to play.
Flip is funny."

" See Flip," said Tom.
" See the play dinner ! "

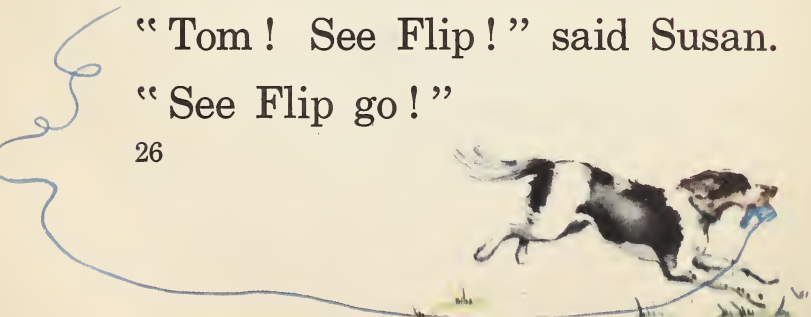
Something for Patsy

Mother said, "Look, Betty.
I have something for Patsy.
I have something you want.
Here is something blue for Patsy.
Come and look."

" Look, Susan," said Betty.
" Come and see Patsy.
See what Patsy and I have.
We have something blue.
See little Patsy."

" Flip, Flip ! " said Betty.
" Down, Flip, down !
This is for Patsy.
This is not for you.
You can not have this."

" Tom ! See Flip ! " said Susan.
" See Flip go ! "



"See Flip, Tom," said Betty.
"See Flip and something blue.
Get Flip, Tom.
Go and get Flip."

"I see Flip," said Tom.
"Here I come, Betty.
I can get Flip for you.
Here I come."

"Flip! Flip!" said Tom.
"Come here! I want you!"

Susan said, "Look, Mother.
Flip looks funny."

Betty said, "You are not funny.
You are not a funny Flip."

Pony Wants Something

Tom said, " Look, Mother.
Pony wants something.
Have you a surprise for Pony ? "

Mother said, " Pony, Pony.
The blue balls are not for you.
You can not have the blue balls."

Mother said, "Come and look.
Here is something Pony wants.
Look and see, Susan.
See what Pony wants."

"I see the surprise," said Susan.
"I can see what Pony wants!"

" Look, Mother," Susan said.
" Here is a red apple.
Pony wants the apple.
Pony wants the big red apple."

Mother said, " Come here, Pony.
What a funny Pony we have.
Here is the apple.
This red apple is for you."

Susan Wants to Play

Susan said, " Look, Mother.
See Bunny and the ball.
See the toy airplane.
Here is the little blue chair.
I want to play here."

" Not here, Susan," said Mother.
" You can not play here.
Mother wants to work here."

" Come, Bunny," said Susan.
" Come, little blue chair.
We can not play here."

"Tom! Betty!" said Susan.
"See the little toy airplane.
See the big green ball.
Here is the little blue chair.
I want to play here.
Come and play."

"We can not play," said Tom.
"We want to work here.
We want to work for Father."

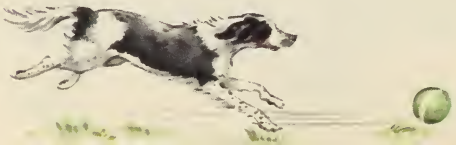
Betty said, "Go and play, Susan.
Here are Bunny and the ball.
Here is the toy airplane.
You can not play here."

Susan said, " Look, Bunny.
We can play here.
I have the toy airplane.
Here is the little blue chair.
Here is the green ball.
We can play here ! "

" You can play here," said Father.
" You can go for a ride.
Up you go, Susan !
Up you go little airplane !
Here is the little blue chair.
Here are Bunny and the ball.
Here you go for a ride."

"Look, Betty!" said Tom.
"See Susan ride!
See the blue chair ride.
See Bunny ride.
Ride fast, Susan."

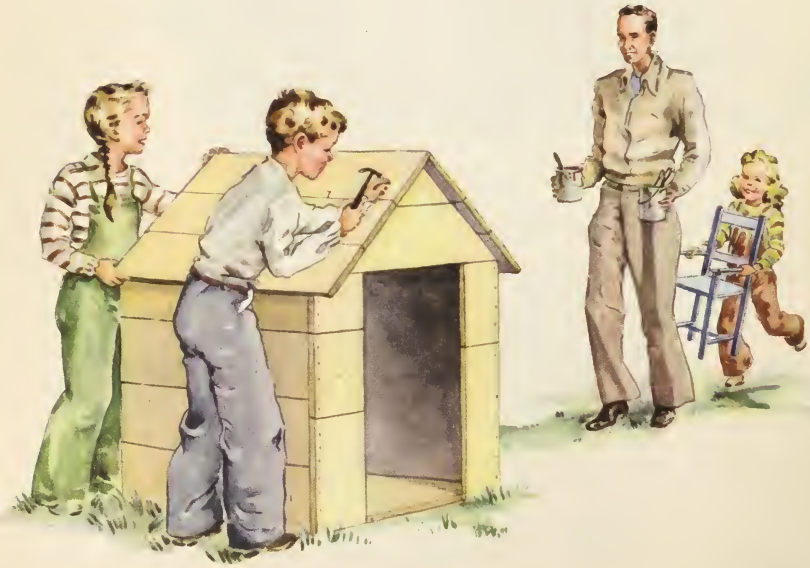
Susan said, "Look, look!
Father wants to play!
Father and I can play."



The Play House

"Look, Father," said Susan.
"See Tom and Betty work.
See the little house."

"Come and help," said Betty.
"We want a play house.
Susan wants a play house.
I want a house for Patsy.
We want a house for the toys."



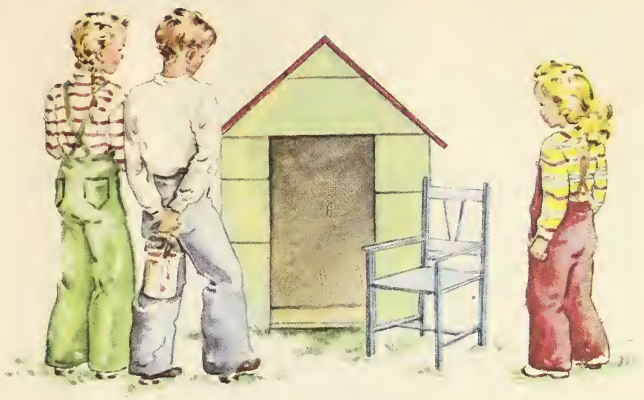
"I can help you," said Father.
"I can help you make a house.
We can work and work.
We can make a play house."

"I can help," said Susan.
"I have something for the house.
Here is the little blue chair.
This is for the play house."

"Look, Father," said Betty.
"I can make the house green."

"This is red," said Tom.
"I want to make this red.
I can help Father here."

"Red and green," said Susan.
"Make the house red and green."



"See the play house," said Betty.
"See the red and green house.
See the blue play chair."

Tom said, "Susan! Betty!
Go and get the toys.
Get Bunny and Patsy.
Get the little green ball.
Get the toy airplane.
Go fast, Betty and Susan!"

" Get Mother," said Father.
" Mother wants to see the house."

" Come, Susan," said Betty.
" We can get Mother.
We can get the toys.
Come fast."

"Mother, Mother," said Susan.
"Come and see the play house."

"Come, Mother," said Betty.
"See the little house.
The house is for Patsy.
The house is for Bunny.
The play house is for toys.
Come and see."

Mother said, " What is this ?
I see something funny.
Is the house for Flip ? "

" Flip, Flip," said Tom.
" You are funny.
This house is not for you.
This is for Patsy and Bunny.
This is the play house."

" Flip is funny," said Betty.
" Flip wants the play house."

We Help Father

Tom said, "See this, Father.
See what I have.
I want to help you.
I want to work."

"I have something," said Betty.
"I can work, Father.
I want to help you and Tom."

"You can help," said Father.
"Come and work here."

Susan said, "Here I come.
Pony and I are here.
We want to help.
Pony and I want to work."

"See this, Susan," said Mother.
"Here is something for you.
You can help Father.
You can work."

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"Look, Tom!" said Susan.
"Make Pony stop!"

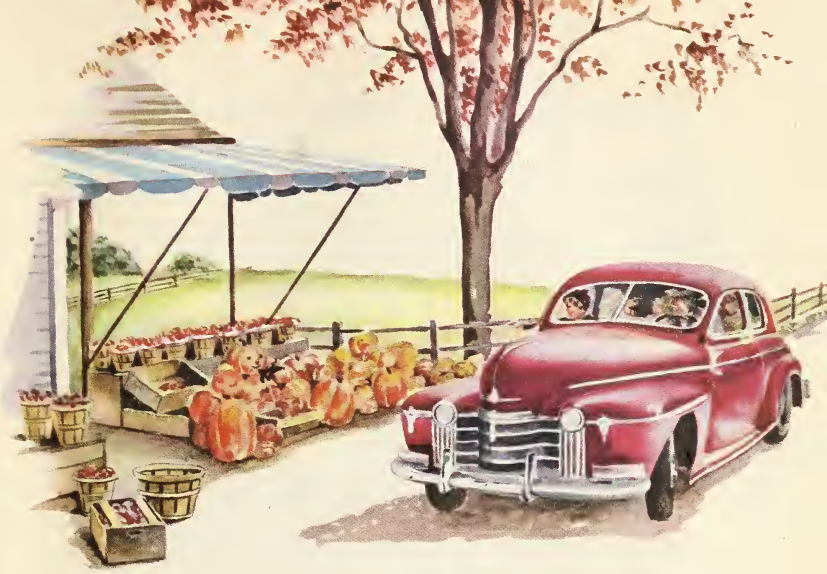
"Stop, Pony!" said Tom.
"You can not help here.
You can not work for Father.
Stop, Pony, stop!"

We Go for a Ride

Father said, " Mother is here.
Betty and Susan are here.
Tom is here.
Is Flip here ? "

Tom said, " Here comes Flip.
Flip wants to go for a ride."

" Come fast, Flip," said Betty.
" You can go for a ride.
We want you to go ! "



" Stop here, Father," Mother said.
" I see something I want.
I want to make a pie for dinner."

Tom said, " Look, Father.
I see something funny.
I want to stop here."

Father said, " Come and look.
Come here, Tom and Betty.
Here is something for you.
You can make something funny."

Mother said, " Come here, Susan.
Here is something little.
This is for you."

Tom said, " Flip ! Flip !
Come down here, Flip."

" See Flip go ! " said Betty.
" See Flip go up fast.
Stop, Flip, stop.
Come down, Flip."

Tom said, "Look, look!
Here comes Flip!
See Flip come down.
See funny Flip."

Betty said, "Come here, Flip.
You are a funny Flip."

A Surprise for Father

"See what I have," said Mother.
"This is something for you.
You can make something funny.
You can make a surprise.
You can surprise Father."

"Tom! Susan!" said Betty.
"See what we can make.
Come here and help."

" Here we go," said Susan.
" We look funny."

" See Pony," said Betty.
" Pony looks funny.
Patsy and Bunny look funny."

" Stop, Flip, stop," said Tom.
" You can not go.
We want you to surprise Father."

" What is this ? " said Father.

" Up comes something big.

Up comes something funny.

I see something go up and down.

What is this I see ? "

" Surprise, surprise ! " said Tom.
" A surprise for you, Father ! "

Father said, " What a surprise !
I see a funny Flip.
I see a funny Pony.
Is this Susan ?
What a funny surprise ! "

To the Teacher

My Little Blue Story Book is the third Pre-Primer of the GINN BASIC READING SERIES. It follows Pre-Primer I, *My Little Red Story Book*, and Pre-Primer II, *My Little Green Story Book*. This Pre-Primer introduces only 14 new words. It maintains and re-introduces gradually the 44 words of the first two Pre-Primers.

New Words in This Book

3. . . .	16. funny	28. . . .	40. . . .	52. . . .
4. down	17. . . .	29. . . .	41. house	53. . . .
5. . . .	18. Patsy	30. . . .	42. . . .	54. . . .
6. up	19. . . .	31. . . .	43. make	55. . . .
7. not	20. . . .	32. . . .	44. . . .	56. . . .
8. are	21. . . .	33. . . .	45. . . .	57. . . .
9. play	22. . . .	34. . . .	46. . . .	58. . . .
10. . . .	23. . . .	35. . . .	47. . . .	59. . . .
11. blue	24. . . .	36. . . .	48. . . .	60. . . .
12. look	25. . . .	37. . . .	49. . . .	61. . . .
13. pie	26. . . .	38. . . .	50. . . .	62. . . .
14. have	27. . . .	39. . . .	51. . . .	63. . . .
15. what				

Review Words

3. the	7. Tom	17. surprise	30. balls
airplane	we	18. want	34. toy
4. see	fast	to	chair
come	8. Mother	Bunny	35. work
5. Susan	Flip	19. you	36. green
said	Pony	something	39. ride
here	10. I	for	42. help
Father	11. is	20. little	52. stop
6. Betty	a	cakes	
go	red	dinner	
and	13. big	26. this	
can	16. apple	27. get	

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